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In re Application of:)
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Preliminary Amendment

Dear Sir:

Prior to calculation of the filing fee and examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified patent application, without prejudice, as follows:

In the Specification:

Page 1, line 1, change "SPECIFICATION" to --TITLE OF THE INVENTION--;

line 5, change "TECHNICAL FIELD" to --BACKGROUND OF THE INVENTION--;

line 10, delete "BACKGROUND ART";

Page 3, line 4, change "DISCLOSURE OF THE INVENTION", to --BRIEF SUMMARY OF THE INVENTION--;

Page 5, line 12, change "BEST MODE FOR CARRYING OUT THE INVENTION" to --DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS--;

Page 12, line 10, after "butyl Carbitol." insert the sentence --Butyl Carbitol is a trademark of Union Carbide. It is also known as Diethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether.--.